Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1-77. (Canceled)

78. (Currently Amended) A method of accessing information on a network, comprising:

receiving, from a user, a first voice command associated with ~~at least~~ a first macroinstruction;

in response to receiving the first voice command, thereafter prompting the user for a second voice command associated with ~~the at least a first~~ a second macroinstruction, wherein the first and second macroinstructions are different, and wherein the second macroinstruction is embedded within the first macroinstruction such that the first macroinstruction provides a layer of security to the second macroinstruction whereby access to the second macroinstruction is restricted unless the first voice command is received;

thereafter receiving, from the user, the second voice command associated with the ~~at least a first~~ second macroinstruction; and

in response to receiving the second voice command, executing the ~~at least a first~~ second macroinstruction.

79. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 78, wherein the ~~at least a~~ first macroinstruction references ~~at least~~ a third voice command having a corresponding ~~at least a~~ third macroinstruction and the corresponding ~~at least a~~ third macroinstruction is associated with at least one item of work to be performed by a computational component, the method further comprising:

in response to the first and second voice commands, performing the at least one item of work without receiving the third voice ~~instruction~~command.

80. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 79, further comprising:

comparing at least one of the first and second voice commands with a macrolibrary containing a listing of voice commands and corresponding macroinstructions.

81-82. (Canceled)

83. (Currently Amended) The method of claim [[82]] 78, wherein the first macroinstruction is added before the second macroinstruction and wherein the ~~at least a~~ first macroinstruction is executed prior to the ~~at least a~~ second macroinstruction.

84. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 83, further comprising, ~~identifying the user prior to prompting the user for a second voice command associated with the at least a first macroinstruction~~ providing results of the first macroinstruction to the user prior to executing the second macroinstruction.

85. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 78, further comprising:

first determining whether the first voice command corresponds to a macroinstruction; and

second determining whether the second voice command corresponds to a nonmacroinstruction, regardless of whether the first voice command corresponds to a macroinstruction.

86. (Previously Presented) A computer readable medium comprising executable instructions operable to perform the method of claim 78.

87-96. (Canceled)

97. (New) The method of claim 78, further comprising:

after receiving the first voice command, asking the user to identify the name of the second voice command;

the user identifying the second voice command; and

allowing execution of the second macroinstruction only after the second voice command is received.

98. (New) A system for accessing information on a network, comprising:

a voice server, comprising:

a voice agent operable to configure a first and second voice command, wherein a first macroinstruction corresponds to the first voice command and wherein a second macroinstruction corresponds to the second voice command, wherein the second voice command is embedded within the first voice command such that the first voice command provides a layer of security to the second voice command whereby access to the second voice command and the second macroinstruction is restricted unless the first voice command is received;

a voice portal component operable to detect and compare voice signal patterns to predetermined voice signal patterns associated with the first and second voice commands; and

a processor operable to determine that the first voice command has been received and in response to receiving the first voice command generate a prompt for the second voice command, and determine that the second voice command has been received and in response to receiving the second voice command execute at least the second macroinstruction.

99. (New) The system of claim 98, wherein the first macroinstruction references a third voice command having a corresponding third instruction and the corresponding third instruction is associated with at least one item of work to be performed by a computational

component, and wherein the processor is operable to perform the at least one item of work in response to receiving the first and second voice commands and not the third voice command.

100. (New) The system of claim 99, wherein the processor is further operable to compare at least one of the first and second voice commands with a macrolibrary containing a listing of voice commands and corresponding macroinstructions.

101. (New) The system of claim 98, wherein the processor is further operable to execute the first macroinstruction in response to determining that both the first and second voice commands have been received.

102. (New) The system of claim 101, wherein the first macroinstruction is added before the second macroinstruction and wherein the processor executes each macroinstruction in the order that the macroinstructions were added.

103. (New) The system of claim 102, wherein the processor is further operable to provide results of the first macroinstruction to a user prior to executing the second macroinstruction.

104. (New) The system of claim 98, wherein the processor is further operable to first determine whether the first voice command corresponds to a macroinstruction and second determine whether the second voice command corresponds to a nonmacroinstruction, regardless of whether the first voice command corresponds to a macroinstruction.